COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY PUBLIC PROTECTION CABINET DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AGENCY CASE NO. 2009-AH-96

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

COMPLAINANT

VS.

RAPID MORTGAGE COMPANY

RESPONDENT

AGREED ORDER

- 1. The Department of Financial Institutions ("DFI") is responsible for regulating and licensing mortgage loan brokers, mortgage loan companies, mortgage loan originators, and mortgage loan processors in accordance with the provisions set forth in KRS Chapter 286.8, the Mortgage Loan Company and Mortgage Loan Broker Act (the "Act").
- 2. Rapid Mortgage Company is authorized to do business in Kentucky as a licensed mortgage broker (MB 23517) pursuant to the Act, with its principal office located at 78 North Main Street, Springboro, Ohio 45066.
- 3. During an examination, DFI discovered that Rapid Mortgage Company had utilized an unregistered loan officer to originate mortgage loans during the 2009 calendar year in violation of KRS 286.8-030, which prohibits a mortgage loan broker and/or company from employing or using a loan officer who is not registered in accordance with KRS 286.8-255.
- 4. DFI possesses a range of administrative authority in addressing violations of the Act, including license revocation, license denial, or the imposition of fines in an amount up to \$25,000 per violation. See KRS 286.8-046; 286.8-090.

- 5. In this case, DFI assessed a fine against Rapid Mortgage Company in the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for utilizing one (1) unregistered loan officer to originate Kentucky loans in violation of KRS 286.8-030.
- 6. In the interest of economically and efficiently resolving the violation(s) described herein, DFI and Rapid Mortgage Company agree as follows:
 - a. Rapid Mortgage Company agrees to a fine assessment in the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for the violation(s) described herein;
 - b. Rapid Mortgage Company agrees to and shall pay the total fine assessed herein of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) prior to the entry of this Order, which shall be in the form of a certified check or money order made payable to "Kentucky State Treasurer" and mailed to the Department of Financial Institutions, Attn: Simon Berry, 1025 Capital Center Drive, Suite 200, Frankfort. Kentucky 40601;
 - c. Rapid Mortgage Company agrees to register with DFI all individuals who originate mortgage loans on Kentucky properties on its behalf; and
 - d. Rapid Mortgage Company shall devote the time and resources necessary to ensure continual and full compliance with all statutory requirements set forth in the Act and the regulations set forth in 808 KAR Chapter 12.
- 7. Rapid Mortgage Company waives its right to demand a hearing at which it would be entitled to legal representation, to confront and cross examine witnesses, and to present evidence on its own behalf, or to otherwise appeal or set aside this Order.

8. Rapid Mortgage Company consents to and acknowledges the jurisdiction of DFI over this matter and that this Agreed Order is a matter of public record and may be disseminated as such.

9. In consideration of execution of this Agreed Order, Rapid Mortgage Company for itself, and for its successors and assigns, hereby releases and forever discharges the Commonwealth of Kentucky, DFI, Office of Legal Services, and each of their members, agents, and employees in their individual capacities, from any and all manner of actions, causes of action, suits, debts, judgments, executions, claims and demands whatsoever, known and unknown, in law or equity, that Rapid Mortgage Company ever had, now has, may have or claim to have against any or all of the persons or entities named in this paragraph arising out of or by reason of this investigation, this disciplinary action, this settlement or its administration.

10. By signing below, the parties acknowledge they have read the foregoing Agreed Order, know and fully understand its contents, and that they are authorized to enter into and execute this Agreed Order and legally bind their respective parties.

11. This Agreed Order shall constitute the Final Order in this matter.

IT IS SO ORDERED on this the 40 day of According, 2001.

CHARLES A. VIC

Consented to:	
This 2 nd day of Dunger, 2009.	This 9th day of December, 2009.
Kathy Stewart, Director Division of Financial Institutions Department of Financial Institutions	Dennis Fisher President Rapid Mortgage Company
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT	
STATE OF <u>Ohio</u>) COUNTY OF <u>Warren</u>)	
On this the 9/h day of Dentil undersigned, Dennis Fisher , did personally appear of Rapid Mortgage Company, and that he, being the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein of	authorized to do so entered into and expound
In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand	
My Commission Expires: July 29 2	
SARAH C. GABKINS SARAH C. GABKINS Recorded to Hamilton County My County Exp. July 29: 2012	

Certificate of Service

I, Simon Berry, hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing **Agreed Order** was sent on this the 15th day of December, 2009, by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the following:

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